

REMARKS

In response to the Quayle Action of November 16, 2005, Applicants submit herewith corrective editorial amendments to the claims as required by the Examiner, and as discussed during a recent telephone interview. In addition, the improper multiple dependency of a number of the claims has been corrected. By virtue of these amendments, it is believed that this application is now in form for full allowance.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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